

SATURDAY EVENING, JAN. 19, 1884.

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BY TELEGRAPH

MURK IN THE TRAIL

The 30-mile city of Oshawa, Ont., Dawn of Gay Head.

One Hundred and Four Lives Lost by the Disaster—Thrilling Incidents The East—The Novel.

New Bedford, Mass., Jan. 19.—One of the most disastrous shipwrecks ever known occurred Thursday night. The steamer City of Columbus of the Swaney's steamer line, went ashore on Devil's Bridge, Gay Head.

The vessel had on board 50 first-class passengers, 32 steerage passengers, and a crew of 45. Of these, 45 second-class and 16 steerage passengers and 34 of the officers and crew were lost.

The story of the disaster is best given in the account of the horrible affray by Capt. Wright, Jr.:

The City of Columbus left Boston at three o'clock yesterday afternoon, carrying passengers and a crew of 45. At 3:45 p.m. Friday, Gay Head light, bearing west by east, the vessel struck on the outside of Devil's Bridge buoy. The wind was blowing gale force, west by north. The vessel immediately filled and keeled over with water breaking in and flooding the port side of the saloon. All the passengers excepting a few women and children came on deck wearing life-preservers.

All the boats were lowered and were immediately swamped, a majority of the passengers were washed overboard. Seven passengers left the vessel on a life-raft, and about forty more took to the rigging.

At 10:30 a.m., the Gay Head life-boats put off between 12 and 1.

The next life-boat came along about 12:30 and sent off two boats.

Twenty persons were washed overboard, the vessel was dead, and the life-boats were taken from the vessel.

The life-boats proceeded to New Bedford. Twenty persons died after going about 11 hours.

The telegraph brings news of a terrible shipwreck off Martha's Vineyard, yesterday. The steamer City of Columbus of the Boston and Savannah line, went ashore, and over one hundred lives are known to have been lost.

SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY, Department, reported to the House of Representatives, yesterday, that within the past eighteen months the issue of gold certificates was \$107,000,000, and that during three years the value of silver certificates paid out was \$10,700,000.

SENATOR ELECT PAYNE gave a brief speech to the Ohio legislature at Columbus, on Thursday night, and in the course of his speech gave expression to views on the tariff question that measured at variance with those of the party at large. He talked against the idea of free trade, and came out flat footed on the protection side of the wool question. But what difference does that make with the party at large? He is a Democrat, and that is enough for me.

And now we have the rumor that Jay Gould was severely pinched by the recent decline in stocks, and that he is not yet out of the woods. At last accounts, however, Mr. Gould was still financially able to afford the extravagances of three square meals every day, and had not stopped taking the daily papers in order to reduce expenses. There is every reason to believe, therefore, that he still considers himself in a fair way to pull through.

A Bishop in Missouri.

The New York *Star* says, Bishop Arthur Cleveland Coxe went from Buffalo to Cincinnati this other day to administer the rite of confirmation. He got in a train going the wrong way, and had to hire a carriage. Getting there, he found that his valise containing his vestments, which had come by the train which he should have taken, was locked up in the station master's office, and the key, getting out his vestment, he ran to the church, where the service was under way, but found it necessary to have a break of water, and so he ginned his hat. The only man presumably adds a cigar to the water was the neophyte, and he could only go for it on a loan. That the Bishop took it is plain to the belief.

Even then water and cigar got mixed, and the Bishop paid his under the service with in the third field of dust. When it was over, by some misunderstanding, there was no one in waiting to take him to the house where he was to spend the night, and he had to ride hither in a fish wagon. The horse ran away and upset him in a gutter.

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Rev. Dr. D. W. Wright, pastor, Boston, Mass., residence unknown.

Rev. Dr. J. S. Read, lawyer, and wife, Boston, Mass., residence unknown.

Rev. Dr. H. H. Kellogg, residence unknown.

Rev. Dr. H. C. Battell, wife, residence unknown.

WE WILL OFFER

During January an unusually fine line of Ladies' and Cents' Gold Watches!

ALSO SPECIAL PRICES IN

SILVER WATCHES

We would call your attention to the grade of Goods we keep and the thoroughly RELIABLE MANNER in which we do business. You cannot buy a Watch of us that is "Too Cheap" for good business.

OTTO E. CURTIS & CO.,

Leading Jewelers.

Decatur, Jan. 3, 1884—d&w&t

BREWER, the BAKER

Having had a splendid trade for the last year, nearly doubling his sales of the year before, and having two nice ovens and work shops, with five bakers, has greater facilities than ever before for doing good work. The foreman of our Bread Department is master of his trade; our Cake Department is presided over by an artist in his line of work; they are both at the head of their profession. Fine Wedding Cakes and Ornamenting a specialty. All orders promptly filled.

BREWER, the BAKER,

211 North Main-St., Decatur, Ill.

Jan. 15, 1884—d&w&t

CHAMPION MONITOR. CARLAND.
We Create our Patrons by Wishing Them All

A Happy New Year!

And in this connection desire to return our thanks for the liberal patronage bestowed upon us during 1883. During the first year in our new location our business has far exceeded our most sanguine expectations, and now with a largely increased stock of Hardware, Mantels, Graves, &c., and the largest and best stock of STOVES in the county, it shall be our aim, through fair dealing and courteous treatment, to merit an increased patronage during 1884.

Ferguson & Dillehunt,

125 North Water St.

ROUND OAK. JEWEL.
1884

Special Offerings for This and Next Week,
AND THEN COMES

Our Grand Cheap Sale of Embroideries

40 LADIES' CLOAKS in Dolmans, CIRCULARS, ROMAN CIRCULARS, SURTOUFS, NEWMARKETS, &c. We propose to make prices that will close them all out. Cost or value makes no difference, the garments will be sold.

WONDERFUL BARGAINS IN BLANKETS, FLANNELS and HOSIERY.

Inspection solicited.

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Per week, payable to Carrier, 10cts.
One year, in advance, 35.00
Six Months, 25.00
Three Months, 15.00

SATURDAY EVENING, JAN. 10, 1884

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Until further notice our price on 1847 Rogers Bros. knives is \$2.50 a dozen, or \$1.25 a set. E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & CO., Photo shooting gallery, opposite post-office. 294ft

Rain, sleet and snow last evening. Everybody was suited.

SAM LINS, 130 North Water street—making ironed shirts, 10 cents, collars 3 cents, cuffs 5 cents per pair. dec 11-14

The special meetings at Stapp's Chapel were quite interesting this week and gave promise of good results. They will probably be conducted through next week.

Good groceries at Niedermeyer's on the mound. All first-class.

The revivals will continue through next week. Many professed conversion this week at the various churches.

"No. 1" is excellent coffee to be had only at Peter Ulrich's family grocery store.

Court adjourned at noon to-day until Monday at 1:30 p.m. The Chidlers case is still pending.

Chidlers always on hand at Geo. Elmhurst's wood yard. dec 27d&w

Mean rough weather. Wet snow last evening, and this morning more of the same kind, fell on ground frozen harder during the night. Clothing is good again. Going? Yes, of course.

E. D. CALDWELL has the best grades of hard coal. dec 17d&w

The Kaufman & Bachrach loss by the fire at East Chiro, Wis., is small. Their loss on stock, \$30,000, was nearly covered by insurance.

Hand and Soft Coal at Martin's. nov 12 d&w

The revival at the United Brethren church continues in interest and good results. There were five at the altar last week. Meetings again through next week.

"COTTON COTTONS" are traps at J. W. Tyler's harness shop. Tyler will give you a pair if you buy harness of him.

The business men of Springfield have met Mr. Cochran at an appointed place, and heard his claims as to the merits of the "Fairbanks" machines. The decision of the capitalists is not yet ready to be made public.

Dressed chickens, fresh butter, relishes, eggs, and fine groceries, at Hanks & Patterson's, 213 South Water street.

Open your hard coal from E. D. Caldwell. P. O. Block.

No scruples from any scrupulous disease, who will fairly try Ayer's Sarsaparilla, need despair of a cure. It will purge the blood of all impurities, thereby destroying the germs from which scrofula is developed, and will infuse life and vigor throughout the whole physical organization. 14

CHEAP carriages for weddings and parties at J. B. Billard's undertaking establishment. 10d&w

"Wishes a man comes to me for advice," says Josh Billings, "I find out what kind of advice he wants, and give it to him; this satisfies him that he and I are two smart men."

PAINTERS wishing the best instruments will find it to their interest to call first at C. B. Present's and save time. His favorite Haines Bros. pens are take the lead.

ALWAYS ask for Schroeder's famously favorite Bohemian cigars and you will get the best nickel smokers to be found in the city.

With we consider the little attention which is paid to the laws of health, we cannot be surprised at the indifference manifested in relation to the purity of the articles that are used in daily food. If all articles put upon the market were as perfect as Dr. Price's Crown Baking Powder, this indifference might answer.

Mrs. DOLLIE MILLIKIN, assisted by Mrs. Jaffurs, of Terre Haute, and a Chicago violinist, will give a grand concert at the open house on Friday evening, Feb. 1st. This will be Mrs. Millikin's first appearance in entertainment since her return from Europe, where she received thorough instruction in piano music, and as all our people are anxious to hear her, no doubt the hall will be crowded with the spectators, which it was difficult to suppose.

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Powder-Gum-Skates
Special attention is directed to the advertisement of E. G. House, on the first page of to-day's paper. Mr. H. has a full and complete line of goods, of the very best and most popular brands, and sportsmen will do well to give him a call. He makes a specialty of roller skates, selling the best in the market.

Invitation.

We would be pleased to have you present at a practical test of Prof. Horsford's Baking Powder. Delicious biscuits made without shortening at our store all day Monday and Tuesday, January 21 and 22, 1884. Respectfully, PARSON ULRICH.

The Rev. Joseph E. Martin, pastor of the Episcopal church at Lafayette, has resigned his charge by request of his vestry. He is charged with having stolen some books from a book store in Lafayette. Rev. Martin was formerly rector in charge of the church at Lincoln, and is known to many Decatur people.

THIRD WARD.
Edwin Philiberry, 65, 47
John P. Martin, 60, 29
Mrs. M. Edwards, 63, 31
Helen Fulton, 60, 15
M. B. Lakin, 60, 8
Anna E. Murphy, 83, 17

FOURTH WARD.
Dannie E. Durfee, 61, 21
Anna H. Jack, 61, 33
Anna R. McHenry, 61, 12
John C. Johnson, 60, 12
Harriet A. Daymon, 61, 5
Ellen C. Philiberry, 61, 30

FIFTH WARD.
M. A. Parker, 61, 11
Hannah Johnson, 59, 29
Sally M. French, 61, 11
A. E. Woods, 61, 17

SIXTH WARD.
C. W. Stapp, 28, 18
Mary A. French, 61, 21
John C. Johnson, 61, 11
L. Montgomery, 60, 15

JONES' SCHOOL.
Miss Johnson, 11, 2

THURSDAY.

The loss on property by the fire at Keeney is given at \$12,000, on which there was less than \$1,000 insurance.

ORDER Decatur coal, lump and nut, from F. D. Caldwell. 10d&w

HATS of all the leading styles are to be had at C. R. CHARLES'.

Outside Wraps for Ladies, Misses and Children, in complete assortment, and embracing every make, style and quality: 300 garments to select from.

At Hunt-Price.

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A. T. GRIFF is now proprietor of the "Gum" tobacco palace and bath rooms at No. 110 North Water street. Call and see him.

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